

REMARKS

Claims 1-71 are pending in the application. Claims 1, 16, 27, 42, and 57 are amended. Claims 10, 17, 36, 51 and 66 are canceled. No new claims are added.

Applicants gratefully acknowledge the indication of allowability of Claims 10, 17, 36, 51 and 66. By the amendments made herein to Independent Claims 1, 16, 27, 42, and 57, the Claims 10, 17, 36, 51, and 66 have been written in independent form. Based on the allowability of Claims 10, 17, 36, 51, and 66, it is respectfully submitted that Independent Claims 1, 16, 27, 42, and 57 are in condition for allowance.

Additionally, it is respectfully submitted that each of the pending dependent claims is therefore allowable for at least the reasons given above with respect to Claims 1, 16, 27, 42, and 57.

The rejections based on cited prior art are rendered moot in light of the amendments to the independent claims made herein.

CONCLUSION

For the reasons set forth above, it is respectfully submitted that all of the pending claims are now in condition for allowance. Therefore, the issuance of a formal Notice of Allowance is believed next in order, and that action is most earnestly solicited.

The Examiner is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned by telephone if it is believed that such contact would further the examination of the present application.

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